OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF LABOUR IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR BANGALORE CITY FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1948.

A Fall of 1·2 Points.

The Cost of Living Index Number for the month of November 1948, works up to 303·5 points registering a fall of 1·2 points.

The index number of Food group declined by 1·8 points to 337·6 owing to a fall in the prices of blackgram dhal, turdhal, bengalgram dhal, greengram, coffee seeds, ghee, onions, groundnut oil, salt, tamarind, chillies and coriander.

The index number of miscellaneous group declined by 1·3 points to 298.2 points due to a fall in the price of supari.

The index number of the Fuel and Lighting, Clothing and house rent group remained constant.

(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936=100)

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight, proportional to total expenditure	Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936	October 1948	November 1948	Index Number: Octr. 1948	Novr. 1948
Food—			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
Raw Rice	... Seer (Msr.)	14·0	0 2 2	0 6 5	0 6 5	296	296
Boiled Rice	... ,,	22·6	0 2 3	0 6 5	0 6 5	285	285
Ragi	... ,,	6·6	0 1 1	0 3 2	0 3 2	292	292
Blackgram Dhal	... ,,	0·7	0 3 1	0 15 2	0 14 11	492	484
Tur Dhal	... ,,	3·4	0 2 8	0 13 8	0 13 7	513	509
Bengalgram Dhal	... ,,	1·4	0 2 11	0 13 5	0 13 0	460	446
Avare Dhal	... ,,	0·6	0 2 7	0 13 11	0 14 3	539	552
Greengram	... ,,	1·2	0 2 0	0 13 0	0 11 8	650	583
Sugar	... Seer Wt.	1·9	0 1 4	0 6 4	0 6 4	475	475
Jaggery	... Viss	1·9	0 3 6	0 9 4	0 9 8	267	276
Coffee seeds	... Seer Wt.	1·4	0 3 11	1 6 1	1 3 9	564	504
Meat	... 2 lbs. Wt.	7·2	0 7 0	2 0 0	2 0 0	457	457
Curds	... Seer Msr.	1·9	0 1 7	0 6 0	0 6 0	379	379
Milk	... ,,	6·1	0 3 7	0 8 0	0 8 0	223	223
Ghee	... ,, Wt.	2·7	0 6 0	1 4 2	0 14 11	336	249
Onions	... Viss	1·0	0 1 3	0 6 1	0 5 10	487	467
Vegetables	... ,,	5·6	0 2 6	0 7 7	0 9 1	303	363
Fruits	... Doz.	0·9	0 2 0	0 5 0	0 5 3	250	263
Gingely oil	... Seer Wt.	2·5	0 2 0	0 8 1	0 8 3	404	413
Groundnut oil	... ,, Wt.	0·4	0 1 8	0 7 2	0 7 1	430	425
Salt	... ,, Msr.	1·1	0 1 3	0 1 10	0 1 9	147	140
Cocoanut	... Each	1·0	0 1 0	0 3 1	0 3 3	308	325
Tamarind	... Viss	0·9	0 3 3	0 11 0	0 10 11	338	336
Chillies	... ,,	2·0	0 7 4	3 0 9	2 10 10	665	584
Coriander	... Seer Msr.	1·3	0 1 5	0 5 6	0 5 5	388	382
Garlic	... ,, Wt.	0·7	0 2 0	0 9 5	0 10 11	471	546
Wheat Flour	... ,, Wt.	1·4	0 0 8	0 1 7	0 1 7	238	238
Soji	... ,, Msr.	1·3	0 2 5	0 6 8	0 6 8	276	276
Ready made coffee	... Cup	6·3	0 0 6	0 1 6	0 1 6	300	300
Total	...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
	Index Number—all Food Articles				...	339·4	337·6
Fuel and Lighting—							
Firewood	... Maund	72·0	0 2 6	0 5 10	0 5 10	233	233
Castor Oil	... Seer Wt.	7·7	0 1 11	0 9 10	0 9 10	513	513
Kerosene Oil	... Bottle	16·0	0 2 1	0 4 0	0 4 0	192	192
Match Boxes of 50 sticks.	... Dozen.	4·3	0 2 6	0 9 0	0 9 0	360	360
Total	... ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
	Index Number—Fuel and Lighting					253·5	253·5
Clothing—							
Dhoties	Pair of 8 yards.	14·6	2 0 9	7 4 0	7 4 0	354	354
Coating	... Yard	22·5	0 5 6	1 2 0	1 2 0	327	327
Shirting	... ,,	21·5	0 4 0	0 12 3	0 12 3	306	306
Cloth for Pyjama, etc.	,,	3·0	0 4 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	350	350
Sarees	... Each	22·4	3 0 0	6 14 8	6 14 8	231	231
Cloth for Jackets, etc.	Yard	16·0	0 5 0	0 14 0	0 14 0	280	280
Total	...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
	Index Number—Clothing					298·1	298·1
House rent—							
House rent	...	100·0	2 10 3	2 10 3	2 10 3	100	100
	Total ...	100·0					
	Index Number—House rent					100	100

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936	Octr. 1948	Nov. 1948	Index Number: Octr. 1948	Nov. 1948
Miscellaneous—			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
Shaving	... 1 Shave	13·0	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	200	200
Washing soap	... 1 Bar	17·0	0 4 0	1 4 0	1 4 0	500	500
Supari	... Seer Wt.	8·4	0 3 6	1 2 0	1 1 5	514	498
Beedies	Bundle of 25	11·2	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	200	200
Amusements	... 1 Show	8·4	0 2 0	0 3 9	0 3 9	188	188
Medicine	Bottle of mixture	8·3	0 4 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	175	175
Education	... ...	5·0	0 2 0	0 4 6	0 4 6	225	225
Flowers	One bunch	5·7	0 0 6	0 1 0	0 1 0	200	200
Household Necessaries	Seer Wt.	22·5	0 5 0	0 15 0	0 15 0	300	300
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Miscellaneous ..						299·5	298·2

Groups	Weights proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Number: October 1948	November 1948
Food	53·5	339·4	337·6
Fuel and Lighting	7·0	253·5	253·5
Clothing	13·8	298·1	298·1
House Rent	6·4	100·0	100·0
Miscellaneous	19·3	299·5	298·2
Total ...	100·0	...	...
(Cost of Living Index Number) ..	...	304·7	303·5

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WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR KOLAR GOLD FIELDS AREA FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1948.

A Rise of 4·3 points.

The cost of Living Index number for the month of November 1948, works up to 314·3 points, recording a rise of 4·3 points above the previous month's figure.

As compared with the previous month, the Index number of the food group advanced by 4·2 points to 331·2 due to a rise in the prices of turdhal, greengram, milk, onions, ghee, gingelly oil, cocoanut, groundnut oil, chillies, tamarind and vegetables.

The Index number of the Fuel and Lighting group advanceed by 22·4 points to 312·5 due to a rise in the price of firewood and castor oil.

The Index numbers of the Clothing and House Rent group remained constant.

Owing to a fall in the price of soapnut powder the Index number of the Miscellaneous group declined by 2·0 points to 314·6 points.

(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936 =100)

	Names of the articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936	October 1948	November 1948	Index Numbers: October 1948	November 1948
	Food.—			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
1	Rice	... Seer measure	3·5	0 2 0	0 6 5	0 6 5	321	321
2	Boiled rice	... ,,	36·9	0 2 1	0 4 7	0 4 7	220	220
3	Ragi	... ,,	11·1	0 0 11	0 5 4	0 5 4	582	582
4	Blackgram Dhal	... ,,	0·4	0 2 11	0 14 0	0 13 11	480	477
5	Tur Dhal	... ,,	4·2	0 2 8	0 12 8	0 13 0	475	488
6	Bengalgram Dhal	... ,,	0·8	0 1 11	0 12 0	0 12 0	626	626
7	Avare Dhal	... ,,	0·6	0 2 1	0 13 5	0 13 0	644	624
8	Greengram	... ,,	0·6	0 1 11	0 10 5	0 10 7	543	552
9	Sugar	... Seer wt.	0·5	0 1 4	0 4 10	0 4 10	363	363
10	Jaggery	... Viss	2·8	0 3 3	0 7 0	0 7 0	215	215
11	Coffee seeds	... Wt. Seer	1·8	0 4 0	0 15 6	0 15 6	388	388
12	Fish	... ,,	2·1	0 3 6	0 9 0	0 9 0	257	257
13	Meat	... 2 Lbs. wt.	9·0	0 8 0	1 8 10	1 8 0	310	300
14	Milk	... Seer measure	2·8	0 3 3	0 6 4	0 6 10	195	210
15	Curds	... ,,	0·6	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	200	200
16	Onions	... Viss	0·8	0 1 4	0 5 6	0 5 10	413	438
17	Ghee	... Seer wt.	1·1	0 6 0	0 11 11	0 12 0	199	200
18	Gingelly oil	... ,,	3·2	0 2 0	0 9 0	0 9 2	450	458
19	Cocoanut	... Each	0·8	0 1 2	0 1 10	0 2 4	157	200
20	Groundnut oil	... Seer wt.	0·6	0 1 7	0 6 6	0 6 8	411	421
21	Salt	... Seer measure	1·3	0 1 2	0 2 0	0 2 0	171	171
22	Chillies	... Viss	4·0	0 7 8	2 10 10	3 0 0	559	626
23	Tamarind	... ,,	1·4	0 2 7	0 7 10	0 8 0	303	310
24	Coriander	... Seer measure	1·2	0 1 4	0 5 0	0 5 0	375	375
25	Garlic	... Seer wt.	0·6	0 2 0	0 8 0	0 8 0	400	400
26	Sojee	... Seer measure	0·3	0 2 5	0 7 6	0 7 6	310	310
27	Vegetables	... Viss	3·8	0 3 0	0 11 6	0 11 11	383	397
28	Ready made coffee	... Cup	3·2	0 0 6	0 1 0	0 1 0	200	200
		Total ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
	Index number—Food Articles	...	...	...	...	...	327·0	331·2

Names of articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936	October 1948	November 1948	Index Numbers: October 1948	November 1948
Fuel and Lighting.—			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
1 Firewood ...	Maund	75·1	0 2 0	0 5 10	0 6 5	292	321
2 Castor Oil ...	Seer wt.	7·8	0 2 3	0 10 0	0 10 2	444	452
3 Kerosene Oil ...	Bottle	12·1	0 2 3	0 4 6	0 4 6	200	200
4 Match box of 50 sticks.	Dozen	5·0	0 3 9	0 9 0	0 9 0	240	240
	Total ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index number—Fuel and Lighting ...		..	...	...	...	290·1	312·5
Clothing.—							
1 Dhoties ...	Pair of 8 yards.	9·3	2 1 0	5 2 6	5 2 6	250	250
2 Cloth for Pyjama, etc.	Yard	1·7	0 4 4	0 12 7	0 12 7	290	290
3 Coating ...	,,	20·4	0 6 5	0 14 9	0 14 9	230	230
4 Shirting ...	,,	14·7	0 5 0	0 10 3	0 10 3	205	205
5 Sarees ...	Each	39·4	3 3 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	235	235
6 Cloth for jackets, etc....	Yard	14·5	0 5 3	0 12 7	0 12 7	240	240
	Total ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index number—Clothing ...		...	...	...	...	232·6	232·6
House Rent.—							
1 House rent ...		100·0	0 10 9	0 10 9	0 10 9	100	100
	Total ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index number—House Rent		...	...	...	...	100·0	100·0
Miscellaneous.—							
1 Barber ...	One shave	14·5	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	200	200
2 Soap for washing ...	One Bar	20·0	0 4 3	1 4 0	1 4 0	471	471
3 Soapnut powder ..	Seer wt.	5·2	0 1 1	0 5 5	0 5 0	500	462
4 Supari ...	,,	14·1	0 3 3	1 0 0	1 0 0	492	492
5 Beedies ...	Bundle of 25.	15·7	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	200	200
6 Travelling expenses ...	.....	6·7	0 4 2	0 4 2	0 4 2	100	100
7 Flowers ...	1 bunch	3·9	0 0 6	0 1 6	0 1 6	300	300
8 Amusements ...	1 show	9·1	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	150	150
9 Charges for grinding ...	2 seers.	6·1	0 0 2	0 0 6	0 0 6	300	300
10 Household necessaries.	Seer wt.	5·7	0 5 0	0 15 7	0 15 7	312	312
	Total ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index number—Miscellaneous ...		...	...	...	...	316·6	314·6

Groups	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Index Number: October 1948	November 1948
1 Food	70·9	327·0	331·2
2 Fuel and lighting	6·2	290·1	312·5
3 Clothing	9·1	232·6	232·6
4 House rent	2·1	100·0	100·0
5 Miscellaneous	11·7	316·6	314·6
Total ...	100·0	..	..
Cost of Living Index—Figure ...	...	310·0	314·3

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WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR MYSORE CITY FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER 1948.

A Rise of 7·0 points.

The Cost of Living Index Number for the month of November 1948 works up to 310·1 points registering a rise of 7·0 points above the previous month's figures.

1 As compared with the previous month the Index Number of the Food Group advanced by 9·6 points to 353·7 due to a rise in the prices of ragi, avaredhal, coriander, meat, wheat, vegetables, jaggery, chillies, tamarind, coffee seeds, garlic and cocoanut.

2 The Index Number of the fuel and lighting, group went up to 216·9 points recording a rise of 2·0 points over the previous month's figures owing to the rise in the prices of castor oil and Matches.

3 The index number of the clothing group advanced by 15·8 points to 226·1 due to a rise in the price of coating.

4 The index Numbers of the house-rent group remained constant.

5 The index Number of the miscellaneous group declined by 7·1 points to 281·0 owing to a fall in the prices of supari.

(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936=100).

Names of the Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1948	October 1948	November 1948	Index Numbers: October 1948	November 1948
Food—			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
1 Raw Rice ...	Seer measure	23·4	0 2 0	0 6 5	0 6 5	321	321
2 Ragi ...	,,	17·7	0 1 2	0 4 1	0 4 7	350	393
3 Tur Dhal ...	,,	5·5	0 2 9	0 12 [illegible]	0 12 3	455	445
4 Avare Dhal ...	,,	1·7	0 2 1	0 12 [illegible]	0 12 9	588	612
5 Bengalgram Dhal	,,	1·6	0 2 0	0 12 [illegible]	0 12 5	621	621
6 Greengram ...	,,	1·5	0 1 10	0 12 [illegible]	0 11 4	655	618
7 Salt ...	,,	1·1	0 1 3	0 2 [illegible]	0 2 0	160	160
8 Coriander ...	,,	1·8	0 1 3	0 [illegible]	0 5 2	367	413
9 Milk ...	,,	3·9	0 4 0	0 6 [illegible]	0 6 5	160	160
10 Curds ...	,,	2·8	0 2 0	0 3 [illegible]	0 3 0	150	150
11 Wheat ...	,,	1·2	0 2 3	0 6 [illegible]	0 6 6	322	322
12 Meat ...	2 lbs. wt.	10·3	0 8 0	2 2 [illegible]	2 3 0	430	438
13 Vegetables ...	Viss	5·3	0 2 8	0 7 [illegible]	0 7 3	266	272
14 Onions ...	,,	1·8	0 1 6	0 6 [illegible]	0 5 3	433	350
15 Jaggery ...	,,	1·5	0 4 4	0 8 [illegible]	0 8 7	185	198
16 Chillies ...	,,	3·4	0 7 6	2 4 [illegible]	2 5 11	480	506
17 Tamarind ...	,,	1·0	0 2 9	0 8 [illegible]	0 8 11	291	324
18 Sugar ...	Seer wt.	1·6	0 1 4	0 4 [illegible]	0 4 8	350	350
19 Coffee seeds ...	,,	2·0	0 5 1	1 11 [illegible]	1 11 9	541	546
20 Ghee ...	,,	1·5	0 6 9	0 12 [illegible]	0 11 5	178	169
21 Groundnut oil ...	,,	1·2	0 1 4	0 6 [illegible]	0 6 5	488	481
22 Garlic ...	,,	0·6	0 2 0	0 5 [illegible]	0 7 [illegible]	275	375
23 Cocoanut ...	Each	1·3	0 1 2	0 2 [illegible]	0 2 11	171	250
24 Ready made coffee	Cup	6·3	0 0 9	0 1 [illegible]	0 1 5	200	189
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—All Food Articles ...		...	...	...	...	344·1	353·7
Fuel and Lighting—							
1 Firewood ...	Maund	84·0	0 2 3	0 4 9	0 4 9	211	211
2 Kerosene Oil ...	Bottle	10·8	0 2 4	0 4 0	0 4 0	171	171
3 Castor Oil ...	Seer wt.	2·8	0 2 3	0 10 9	0 12 3	478	544
4 Match box (50 sticks).	Dozen	2·4	0 3 4	0 8 0	0 8 4	240	250
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Fuel and Lighting		...	...	...	...	214·9	215·9
Clothing—							
1 Dhoties ...	Pair	8·1	2 1 9	4 14 1	4 14 1	231	231
2 Coating ...	Yard	21·6	0 6 1	0 12 9	1 2 6	210	304
3 Shirting ...	,,	18·3	0 4 3	0 9 2	0 8 3	216	194
4 Cloth for Pyjama, etc.	,,	4·8	0 4 11	0 14 0	0 13 6	285	275
5 Cloth for Jackets, etc.	,,	12·0	0 5 4	1 2 6	1 2 6	347	347
6 Sarees ...	Each	35·2	4 7 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	146	146
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Clothing ...		...	...	...	...	210·3	226·1
House Rent—							
House rent per month...		100·0	1 7 2	1 7 [illegible]	1 7 2	100	100
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—House rent ...		...	...	...	...	100.0	100.0
Miscellaneous—							
1 Barber ...	One shave	12·2	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	200	200
2 Washing Soap ...	Bar ...	11·7	0 4 0	1 4 6	1 4 6	512	512
3 Soapnut powder ...	Viss ...	5·4	0 6 2	1 8 0	1 9 0	389	405
4 Supari ...	Seer wt....	11·2	0 3 5	1 4 0	0 15 10	585	463
5 Beedies ...	Bundle of 25	33·6	0 1 0	0 2 3	0 2 5	225	242
6 Amusements	One show	11·5	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	150	150
7 Subscriptions ...	...	9·4	0 11 0	0 11 0	0 11 0	100	100
8 Charges for grinding	Seer measure	5·0	0 0 1	0 0 3	0 0 3	300	300
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Miscellaneous ...		...	...	...	...	288·1	281·0

Groups		Weights proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
			October 1948	Novembr 1948
1 Food	...	62·5	344·1	353·7
2 Fuel and Lighting	...	9·4	214·9	216·9
3 Clothing	...	8·0	210·3	226·1
4 House Rent	...	3·3	100·0	100·0
5 Miscellaneous	...	16·8	288·1	281·0
Total	...	100·0	...	...
Cost of Living Index Number	...	...	303·1	310·1

8046 B. S. PUTTASWAMY, *Commr. of Labour.*

BANGALORE DISTRICT. (RURAL)

(RURAL DEVELOPMENT SECTION.)

Notification dated 11th December 1948.

No. M7-P. R. 543—48-49. Whereas it is reported that there is prevelance of Plague in Anugondanahally Village, Hosakote Taluk and that there is the fear of spread of the disease, I, Sri B. S. Nanjunde Gowda, B.Sc., LL.B., In-charge Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, (Rural), by virtue of powers vested in me under Section 77 of the Mysore Public Health Act, 1944, do hereby declare the said Anugondanahally as an area infected with Plague and empower the District Health Officer, Bangalore District, under Section 77 of the above Act, to take necessary action to prevent the spread of the epidemic.

Any person obstructing the measures adopted by the said Health Officer or Officers subordinate to him in the act of bringing the epidemic under control will be punished under the Mysore Public Health Act 1944.

7249 B. S. N. GOWDA, *Dy. Commr. I/c.*

OFFICE OF THE CONTROLLER OF CIVIL SUPPLIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 19th December 1948.

No. T. 2266.—In exercise of the powers conferred upon me under sub-clause (c) of clause 31 of the Mysore Cotton Textiles (Control), Order, 1948, I hereby authorise the following officers for the purpose of the above said clause.

(1) The Deputy Commissioners of Districts
(2) The Assistant Controllers of Civil Supplies
(3) The Sub Division Officers
(4) The Superintendents of Police
(5) The Amildars of Taluks
(6) The Enforcement Officers
(7) The Inspectors of Civil Supplies.
(8) The Assistant Inspectors of Civil Supplies.

8013 M. K. APPAJAPPA,
Controller of Civil Supplies.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF FOOD SUPPLIES IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 21st December 1948.

No. A1. C. 2607—47-48. It is hereby notified for the information of those concerned that a quota of 4,000 tons of Bengalgram has been allocated to Mysore State from East Punjab States Union under the Basic plan 1948-49. The East Punjab States Union Government have intimated that the proportion of supply will be 75 per cent gram, 17 per cent gramdhall and 8 per cent gram flour.

2. It is proposed to import this quota also on Government account and make it over to the selected merchants at railheads in the Mysore State for distribution and sale in the several areas.

3. The quota is distributed amongst the several areas of the State as detailed below and despatches will be made by a representative of this Government who will be deputed to East Punjab States.

		Tons
1.	Bangalore District (Urban) for City consumption ...	900
2.	Bangalore District (Rural) ...	250
3.	Chief Rationing Officer, Civil Station	450
4.	Deputy Commissioner, Chikmagalur	350
5.	Do Shimoga ...	350
6.	Do Kolar ...	350
7.	Do Chitaldrug ...	350
8.	Do Mysore ...	250
9.	Do Mandya ...	250
10.	Do Hassan ...	250
11.	Do Tumkur ...	250
	Total ...	4,000

4. The other conditions regarding delivery of the consignments to merchants, furnishing of cash security, obtaining stamped agreement, release of stocks for consumption to the public are similar to those prescribed in this Office Notification No. A1. C. 2494—48-49, dated 26th November 1948, published in the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 2nd December 1948.

5. Intending individuals may apply to the respective Deputy Commissioners/Chief Rationing Officer, Civil Station, on or before the 5th of January 1949, furnishing the details called for in the Notification cited above.

S. ABDUL KHADER,
Addl. Director of Food Supplies.

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR, GOVERNMENT CENTRAL BOOK DEPOT, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 1st December 1948.

Notification inviting Applications from Book Sellers for Enrolment as "Recognised" Dealers in Government Publications.

Applications in the following form (printed or typewritten.) are invited from Book Sellers of the State for enrolling themselves as Approved Dealers in Official Publications, of the Education Department and such other school books as are stocked for sale at the Government Central Book Depot, for a period of one year from 1st March 1949. Applications should be forwarded through and recommended by the District Educational Officer of the Dstrict, where the applicant intends to carry on business so as to reach the Director, Government Central Book Depot, Bangalore, by 1st February 1949.

Applicants should, in the event of their being enrolled as such, conform themselves to the following conditions and abide by any rules that may be framed by the Director from time to time in this behalf. Any instance of violation of these would involve deletion of the name of such firm from the approved list without assigning any reason therefor.

Firms or persons who are now recognised book sellers of the Government Central Book Depot should also apply afresh through the District Educational Officers and observe all the formalities specified in this behalf failing which they cease to be dealers in Official and Educational Publications.

Intending applicants should note that.

1. No correspondence, of whatever nature, by them with the Government Central Book Depot shall be on "Service unpaid" Such correspondence "On service unpaid" will not only be taken into account but also liable to be penalised.

2. Books indented for will be sent by goods trains to the nearest Railway Station from the indentor's place of business, the packing, forwarding and transit charges being met by the Director, Government Central Book Depot. Books indented for and of the value of less than Rs. 40 will not be complied with unless specifically intimated that they may be booked by Railway Parcel "To pay" the packing charges being met by the Director as usual. Books required by the approved book sellers to be sent by Railway Parcel or by post will be despatched at the indentor's cost.

3. Indents for books will be complied with in the order in which they are received and the Depot will not be responsible for any loss or inconvenience caused by non-receipt of books in time.

4. Books will be sold only on "Non-returnable" basis.

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